

Great Game Was Drawn

Unsatisfactory Ending of the Lacrosse Event in Vancouver Yesterday.

After Expiration of Time Limit The Score Stood Three to Three.

Terminal City Team Acknowledged to Have Had Best of Struggle.

From Our Own Correspondent.
Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 29.—The
thousand people who saw the lacrosse
match between Vancouver and West-
minster yesterday, it was a draw, and
the draw was played in West-
minster when time was called the game stood
three to three. It was agreed to play
twenty minutes longer, but the score
in the interval being the victors.
In that last twenty minutes, West-
minster could not get its past centre out
once or twice, and they were better
upon Westminster's flags, but the dome
crowd could not make the winning shot.
In the interval, however, there was a
lacrosse on both sides, the players were
nervous, and Vancouver's home, that
had been called, they played a very
poor game. Their defence, how-
ever, saved the day, and it took West-
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Goals were scored as follows: West-
minster, 18 minutes, Oddy, 2 minutes;
Vancouver, 12 minutes, Wright, 3 minutes;
Westminster, 15 minutes, Oddy, 2 minutes;
Vancouver, 12 minutes, Wright, 3 minutes.

Mainland Happenings

Big Railway Corporations Come Into Sharp Conflict Over a Diamond.

Injunction Applied For on al Hands—Good Prospects of Legal Battle.

Tomorrow's Lacrosse Match all the Talk in Royal and Terminal Cities.

DREAD DISEASE.

PLAGUE TAXES.

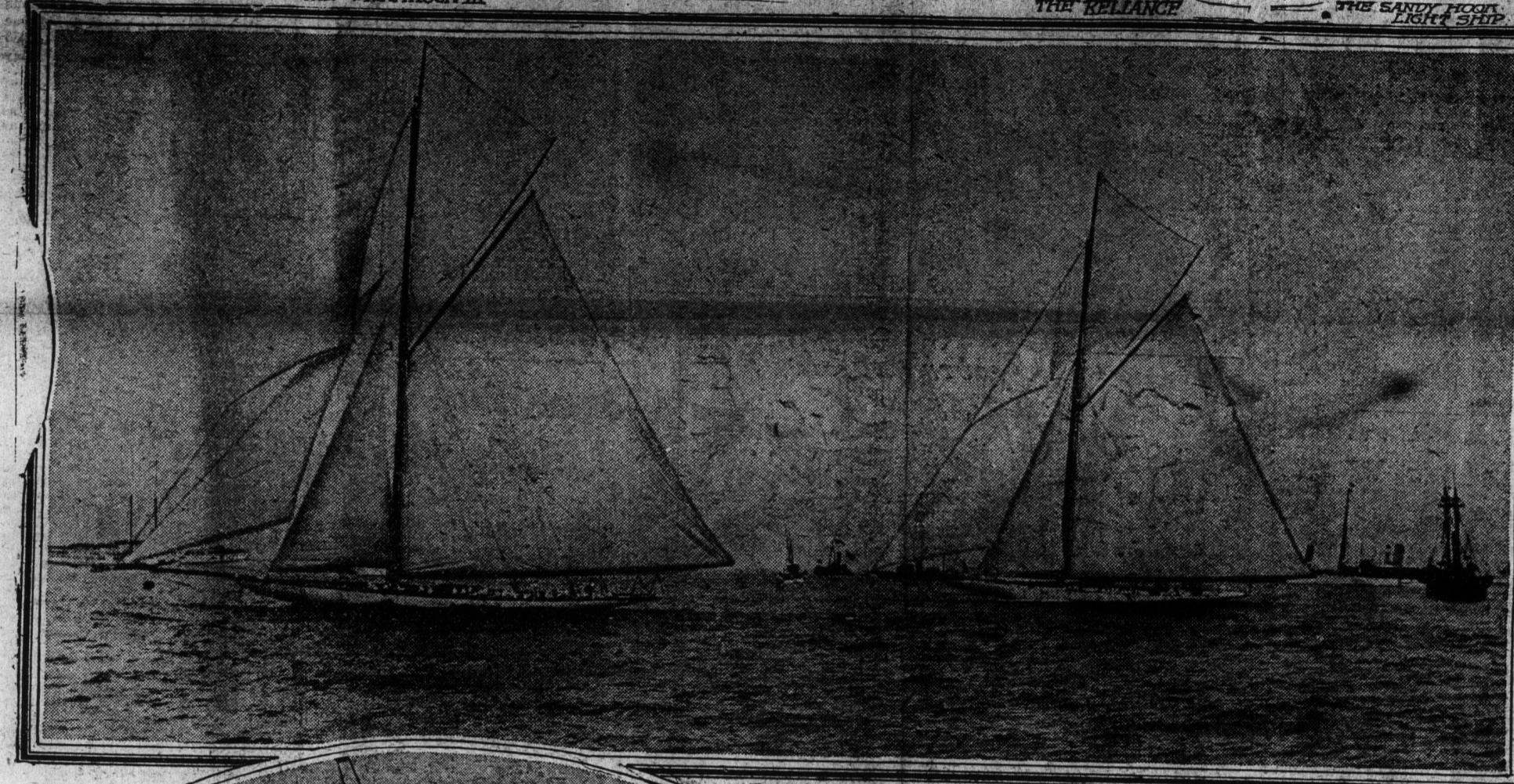
MR. FOSTER HOME.

Back From Mexico and Uncertain About Political Plans.

TOURING PARLIAMENTARIANS.

Quebec, Aug. 20.—The members of the British parliamentary party coming to the Dominion arrived this morning at an address of welcome presented in them at the city hall by the mayor, after which a photograph of the party was taken on the city hall. Tomorrow they will visit the shrine of St. Anne de Beau-pre. They leave Monday night for Montreal.

THE FIRST RACE BETWEEN SHAMROCK AND RELIANCE



PHOTOGRAPHED IMMEDIATELY AFTER CROSSING THE LINE AT THE START. PHOTO COPYRIGHT 1903 BY JAMES BURTON.

The Third Race Proves a Fizzle

Fife's Light Weather Boat Hopelessly Distanced by Reliance in Breeze Too Weak for Time Limit.

New York, Aug. 27.—With Reliance less than a third of a mile from the flag and Shamrock III, fully two miles astern of the gallant defender, the Herreshoff wonder boat today declared off because of the expiration of the time limit of five hours and one-quarter. Although officially it was no race, the defeat administered to the challenger was so signal, that whatever lingering hope remained in the breast of Shamrock III, vanished into thin air. Reliance's victory was in every way more decisive than that of last Saturday.

Outsailed, outpointed and outforced, it was a procession from start to finish. The Herreshoff wonder boat, the Shamrock III, rounded the outer mark twelve minutes and thirty seconds ahead of her, a gain in actual time of eleven minutes and twenty-nine seconds, and down the wind she steadily increased her lead. The real race of the day was not against Shamrock, but the cup series, which was won by Reliance in three straight wins for the defender, and Fife's famous light-weather boat would have sailed back to Alhambra's worsted challengers in the history of the cup contests.

Fife, as discouraging as the sailing qualities displayed by the challenger was the manner in which she was handled. The Yankee skipper again not only outmaneuvered his rival in the battle for position at the start, as he has done every time they have met, but worse still, when the down-breeze started, he crossed the line 32 seconds behind Reliance. Both boats, it is true, went over after the smoke of the hand-caps, but where's honor are handicapped it is only the sternmost craft which actually suffers.

It was not a pleasant day on the water, and the observation fleet which put out to sea to witness the race, was hardly more than half as large as on the preceding days. There was a chill in the atmosphere, and low, wet clouds shut out the sky; the sea was smooth and a light breeze of about four knots blew from the southeast. The course was laid fifteen miles dead into the wind and return from Sandy Hook light-house.

The port tack was held by Reliance for eighteen minutes when she went over to starboard and headed straight for the mark. The Shamrock went on the same tack about a mile in the rear; the wind was very light, and it was at 1:42 when the Reliance turned the floating beacon, which down-breeze out-erlimit of the course. The Shamrock turned at 1:50.

The excursion fleet held away both to the east and west, and so that the yachts, after rounding the mark, would have a clear lane back towards the light-house.

The yachts sailed the first four or five miles of the homeward course very slowly. The Reliance, with her great sail spread, continued to gain, and at 2:50 she crossed the line in the lead; unless the wind decreased the Reliance was the certain winner, and Sir Thomas Lipton was doing his best to prevent the Reliance from crossing the line.

The regatta boat did not wait for her, but started for the city, flying the signal letter "M," announcing that the race was declared off. An inquiry by Marconi wireless, brings the reply that a race tomorrow is not likely.

The time, as fixed by the regatta committee, was as follows: Reliance, 11:02:41; Shamrock, 11:02:32. The next windward leeward course. The Reliance, N. Y., Aug. 27.—Both boats came up quickly to the Hook after the failure to finish, and took up their anchorages. Sir Thomas, speaking of today's affair, said: "I am willing to repeat what I said this morning. I still have hope, slight as it is. Let us hope for a sparkling good breeze Saturday. I called my friends around me this afternoon, and they all agreed that the Regatta was a failure, when I happened to look at my notes. Then I reserved decision, and I may never have to make that speech." Mr. Iselin and Captain Barr declined to talk, except that Mr. Iselin regretted that the Regatta was not sufficient to bring the boats in on time.

Vice Consul As assassinated

America's Representative at Beirut Falls Victim to Turkish Murderer.

Following Killing of Russian Agent News Creates Sensation at Washington.

Squadron Under Admiral Cotton Ordered to Scene of Outrage.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 27.—The State department has received a cablegram from United States Minister Leshman at Constantinople, announcing that William C. Ravandad, United States vice-consul at Beirut, Syria, was assassinated yesterday while riding in a carriage.

Admiral Cotton, commanding the United States European squadron, has been called by the Navy department to have his vessels in readiness to move to Beirut, which is on the eastern shore of the Mediterranean sea, in case the demands of the United States government upon the Turkish government are not complied with. The Brooklyn and the San Francisco are at Villorfranche, and the Machias is at Genoa, Italy. Ravandad was appointed vice-consul in Beirut September 20, 1898, by Consul Gabriel Bieravadi. At the time of his appointment as vice-consul he was a consular clerk in Turkey. He was born at Bratisburg, Bohemia county, Minnesota. The cablegram was dated yesterday, and stated that the assassination occurred on Sunday.

The announcement of the assassination following so soon upon the assassination of a Russian consul in Turkey created a strong comment in official circles. Minister Leshman gave no particulars, and the State department has no information from the local authorities as to the cause of the murder. The American government will insist that the local authorities be held responsible for the crime, and that a full measure of punishment be given the actual perpetrators of the outrage. Beirut is a city on the eastern shore of the Mediterranean sea, and is a place of considerable commercial importance.

Bay, Aug. 27.—President Roosevelt tonight issued orders that the American-European Squadron, under command of Rear Admiral Cotton, should proceed at once to Beirut, Syria, in order to be in readiness to support any demands the United States may make on account of the assassination of Vice-Consul Ravandad.

EMPEROR REFUSES TO RECEIVE KING

Francis Joseph Declines the Honor of a Visit From Leopold

Vienna, Aug. 27.—The Wiener Allgemeine Zeitung says Emperor Francis Joseph has refused to receive King Leopold, who proposed to come to Vienna. The quarrel is due to King Leopold's treatment of his daughter, the Countess of Louvain, whose first marriage was with the Emperor's second son, the late Archduke Rudolph.

CHAOS IN MACEDONIA

Turks Committing Wholesale Massacres and the People Panic-Stricken.

Town of Adrianople in Ashes and Many Other Sections in Flames.

Sultan's Forces Making Frantic Efforts to Restore Order in Disturbed Districts.

Sofia, Aug. 29.—The Dnevnik publishes a report that one section of the town of Adrianople is in ashes, and that three other sections are burning. The inhabitants are panic-stricken and the authorities have lost all control. The Turks are committing wholesale massacres. An unsuccessful attempt was made to blow up the west-bound Orient express between Uskub and Cherrukiska. Only the locomotive, however, was destroyed.

A telegram from Leren says the railway station at Ushki was blown up, a number of officials being killed and the rails torn up for a distance of 150 meters.

The insurgents have blown up the lighthouse at Vasilko, and now occupy the principal points along the Black Sea coast. The barracks at Demotika, near Adrianople, have been blown up and the garrison killed. Four thousand Albanians are pillaging the villages in the districts of Odrin and Krushovo. The latter district is deserted by the population, who have joined the insurgents in the mountains. The Turkish forces in the frontier districts have been largely increased.

Reports from Constantinople say that seven hundred medical and veterinary students and army cadets have been given their diplomas and commissions without having passed the usual examinations, and have been drafted into the third army corps.

A private telegram from Rila, forty miles from this city, says the Bulgarian troops they frontier have been ordered to combine with the Turkish frontier forces in order to prevent insurgent bands from entering Macedonia. Despite this combination of forces, however, one hundred revolutionaries succeeded in crossing the frontier, and fighting is proceeding in the direction of Kozlog. The sound of cannon, the despatch says, can be distinctly heard in Rila.

Salonica, Friday, Aug. 28.—It is officially announced that the seven battalions of Turkish troops which have been investing Neveke—captured August 25 by the insurgents, who killed 200 of the 230 men composing the garrison—have recaptured the place. An Imperial decree has been issued ordering the mobilization of 6,000 troops at Kossovo, Roumania.

General instruction permits in Albania, where the whole population is eager to enlist. A telegram today announces the impending arrival of a shipload of rifles for the Albanian volunteers. It is understood that the revolutionists are making a strenuous bid for the support of the Turkish population against the Turkish government.

HUMBERTS SIGN APPEAL

Paris, Aug. 26.—Mme. Therese Humbert and her husband, Frederic Humbert, have signed an appeal to the Court of Cassation against the sentence passed on them last Saturday.

VIOLENT WIND STORM.

Simcoe, Ont., Aug. 26.—A violent wind storm swept over the town vicinity yesterday. In town large trees were twisted and torn down. The apple crop will suffer considerably, as well as plums and peaches.

APPOINTED RECTOR.

London, Ont., Aug. 26.—The Bishop of Huron has appointed Rev. R. W. Howard, B. A., of Mitchell, rector of Christ church in this city, to date from October 1 next.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Winnipeg, Aug. 26.—Fire destroyed the home of O. Odison in Norwood. A coal oil stove exploded. A well-to-do farmer named Bartz shared at Regina by taking gopher poison.

LABOR STRIKE IN WALES.

Swansea, Wales, Aug. 26.—All the South Wales tin plate works, controlled by the Employers' association, closed today for an indefinite period, owing to wage disputes. Twenty to thirty thousand workmen are affected.

VESUVIUS STILL ACTIVE.

Naples, Aug. 26.—Vesuvius is still in a state of ebullition. An eruption of 500 feet long can be seen in the volcano. The stream of lava is flowing slowly, and is now insignificant.

IBSEN'S CONDITION.

Copenhagen, Aug. 26.—The condition of Henrik Ibsen, the Norwegian dramatist, who has been ill and was reported by a Berlin paper today to be near death, has undergone no recent change, and it is announced that the patient is in no immediate danger. Lately Dr. Ibsen has been able to take a short walk daily.

DOCTORS FIGHT A FATAL DUEL

Quarrel Growing Out of Demand For Increased Compensation Draws Blood.

Berlin, Aug. 27.—Dr. Schwartz, manager of the State insurance hospital at Luthhausen, Alsace-Lorraine, killed Dr. Schlop, who was the leader of the strike movement on the part of out-door relief physicians in a duel three days ago. An attempt was made to conceal possession of the body as it was about to be cremated at Gotham, and the arrest of Dr. Schwartz followed. The duel was the result of a bitter personal quarrel growing out of a controversy between the management of the national sick insurance funds and several thousand physicians employed by the free hospital or out-door relief, who wanted their compensation increased.

DIED OF HEART FAILURE.

Toronto, Aug. 27.—(Special).—George Santra, well-known, with his wife, died at Charles street, expired from heart failure this morning.

PRESIDENT LOUDEN COMING.

Will Visit the Newly-founded Educational Institution in W.

Toronto, Aug. 27.—(Special).—President Louder, accompanied by Mrs. Louder and Dr. McLennan, dean of the University, will visit the newly-founded educational institution in Regina, Edmonton, Calgary and British Columbia.

Treadgold Investigation

Inquiry of Special Commission Commenced At Dawson Yesterday.

Judge Official Refuses Access to Official Records in the Case.

Special to the Colonist. Seattle, Aug. 29.—A special to the Times says: Dawson, Aug. 26.—The case against the Matson and Doyle concession commenced today before the Treadgold Commission.

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POWER FOR MONTREAL

Montreal, Aug. 26.—The monopoly of the Montreal Heat, Light and Power Company, obtained by the purchase of the assets of the old Montreal Light and Power Company, is now in London, has made arrangements to transfer the assets to the new company.

COUNCIL BLUFFS STORM SWEPT

Downpour Turns the Streets Into Rivers and Great Damage Results.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Aug. 26.—Two cloud bursts tonight destroyed hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of property in this city.

FUNERAL OF GARIBOLDI'S SON

Rome, Aug. 26.—The funeral of Menotti Garibaldi occurred today, and was a most impressive spectacle.

THE NOTABLE DEAD

San Francisco, Aug. 26.—Martin Kellogg, ex-president of the University of California, died in this city today.

BIRMINGHAM DELEGATES

Detroit, Aug. 26.—Delegates of the congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire arrived here tonight for a convention at Montreal.

DICKENS' BIRTHPLACE

New York, Aug. 26.—A despatch to the Times from London says the sale of the Dickens house in Portsmouth, is announced.

Vesuvius Presents Wonderful Sight

Side of Volcano Opens Like Huge Mouth And Belches Flame.

Red Hot Stones Thrown Seven Hundred Feet And Lava Flows.

Naples, Aug. 26.—The people of Naples and environs witnessed a remarkable spectacle at noon today. One thousand feet below the central cone of Vesuvius the volcano opened like a huge mouth, and a stream of lava, which ran down the side of the mountain, and at first seemed to ascend the observatory, was later observed from the building.

ROUND THE WORLD RECORD.

New York, Aug. 26.—Henry Frederick, who left New York city on July 22 on the steamer Deutschland for a tour around the world, with the record of breaking the record, returned tonight to New York on the New York Central.

TO CHANGE ROUND.

Halifax, Aug. 26.—The 68th Company, R. O. A., will go from Halifax to Esquimaut and the 83rd, now at Esquimaut, will go to Hongkong early in December.

RESULTS OF CLOUBBURST.

Frankfort, Kas., Aug. 26.—The damage to farms in Seman and Marshall counties by yesterday's cloudburst is placed at \$500,000.

INTERNATIONAL CRICKET.

Toronto, Aug. 26.—In the two days' match between the Canadian and the States team 130 runs were scored by the Canadians.

FOR ARBITRATION.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 26.—The building trades organizations, namely, the bricklayers, masons, carpenters, painters, plasterers and joiners, are having a combined meeting to discuss the possibility of arbitration.

Mining Men Frame Platform

Executive of Provincial Association Outline Requirements of the Industry.

All Candidates to be Asked to Go on Record For or Against.

Windsor, Aug. 26.—The executive of the Mining Association of Ontario in session today resolved to carry out a plan to require candidates for office to go on record for or against certain proposals.

WORTH RECOGNIZED.

Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 26.—Mayor Johnson of Cleveland was honored by acclamation for governor.

ENDORSERS GOLD STANDARD.

Paris, Aug. 26.—The report of the French commission appointed to confer with the United States monetary experts on the gold standard has been forwarded to the French government.

BARRE COLONY FLOURISHING.

All Soreheads Gone and a Thousand More People Coming.

SQUADRON THAT VISITED TURKISH WATERS

Shamrock is Again Defeated In Good Breeze Reliance Once More Shows Her Heels to Lipton.

Doughty Knight Still Hopeful of Better Luck Next Time.

New York, Aug. 25.—In a glorious wholesale breeze over a triangular course of ten miles to a lee, the fleet-footed cup defender, Reliance, again today showed her heels to Sir Thomas Lipton's challenger, taking the second race of the cup series by the narrow margin of 1 1/2 minutes and 19 seconds.

The course, 3 hours, 12 minutes and 19 seconds, made by the Columbia two years ago in a race against Shamrock II, which specifies windward for a mile, speed in the wind that was blowing.

The Reliance's victory, narrow as it was, would have been even snuff had not Captain Wringe, the skipper of the British ship, bungled the start, sending his craft over the line 19 seconds after the last gun, and handicapping her to that extent.

An assemblage of excursion vessels almost as large as that of Saturday poured down through the Narrows and into the Atlantic today to witness the vanishing glory of the challenger.

The early morning had held out but little hope of a race. A smoky haze hung over the sea and the sky was very light from the south. As the day wore on, however, the curtain lifted slightly, the wind blew strong and steady out of the south, and the dancing swell appeared under the radiance of an August sun.

The course was a beat due south, then a broad reach and run, as the case might be, off toward the Choptank, and thence home again to the lightship, each leg ten miles. The spectators watched the jockeying with eager interest.

It seemed momentarily as if the spars and hulls of the challenger would take steps to amaze at the last, when the starting gun had been fired, and they bounded across the line. Captain Barr, of the defender, out-generaled Capt. Wringe at the outset.

He sent the Reliance across the starting line for the second race of the series one minute and 24 seconds ahead of Shamrock III. More than that, the American was a full quarter of a mile to the windward of the British boat.

The start of today's race accordingly lacked all of the thrilling features which made the beginning of Saturday's contest a sight long to be remembered. A few minutes before the starting signal was fired, the challenger, which made the beginning of Saturday's contest a sight long to be remembered.

She over-ran the committee boat at the leeward end of the line, and when the prize money had been divided, the challenger was away to the leeward of the line and the handicap gun boomed as the cup-hunter bore down across the line, and bore away. The official time of the start was: Reliance, 11:30:36; Shamrock III, 11:32:00.

It looked as if Shamrock was making a better fight than ever before. On getting under way, the challenger seemed to be a trifle stronger, and Reliance began to gain. At 11:40 she had pulled out a mile and a half from Shamrock, and was half a mile ahead of the committee boat.

The Macedonian committee has issued a black-bordered list of 70 villages which have been pillaged and destroyed in the vilayet of Monastir, to which are added instances of revolting outrages against women.

No news has been received in official circles today from the interior of Macedonia. In a dispatch which has just occurred in the Kisevoh district, the Macedonians slaughtered a detachment of British troops for a serious attack.

London, Aug. 26.—According to a Sofia telegram to the Times, the Turkish army has reached the utmost limits of barbarism, and it is evident that it is the intention of the Turkish government to exterminate the Bulgarian population.

Constantinople, Aug. 26.—Emmer Rediffi, the commander of the Turkish troops in Macedonia, has been recalled, and arrived here this evening.

THE VENEZUELA CLAIMS. London, Aug. 26.—In order to have a little delay as possible in the meeting of the Venezuelan tribunal, which is to decide the question of preferential treatment in Great Britain, the interested powers have urged the Czar to select immediate successors as arbitrators.

Rome, Aug. 26.—The Italian government has appointed Senator Augusto Pierantoni, a member of the Chamber of Deputies, as arbitrator in the question of the preferential rights claimed by Great Britain and Italy in settlement with Venezuela.

ONE IN FOUR PERSONS. One person in every four suffers more or less from rheumatism, but few know the nature of their ailment, and others have not heard of Dr. Cass's Ointment as the only remedy for rheumatism.

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Sunshine Disappeared

Visit of Russian Fleet to Turkish Waters Acclaimed by Bulgarians.

Suffering Humanity Appeal to the Powers For Intervention.

Outrages Inflicted on Macedonians Have Reached Height of Barbarity.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Aug. 26.—An immense mass meeting of Macedonians took place here this afternoon, and the proceedings were most enthusiastic.

Kingston Military College Recognized as Most Efficient School.

Robert Redford's Appointment to Transportation Commission Announced.

From Our Own Correspondent. Ottawa, Aug. 26.—Captain Sullivan is here arranging for the election.

From Our Own Correspondent. Toronto, Aug. 26.—The Star's London cable says: The report of the Royal Commission on the South African war, which Lord Strathcona was a member, was published today, and makes a great sensation despite the fact that parliament is on a holiday.

From Our Own Correspondent. Montreal, Aug. 26.—(Special).—Twenty thousand dollars was offered and declined for a lot on the Montreal Stock Exchange today.

From Our Own Correspondent. Naquima, Aug. 26.—Advice received from the military authorities that the average level existing before the outbreak of coal there has now reached the force working. Friction between those who have resumed and those who have not resumed work has been increased to a considerable extent.

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Auction Sale

Farm Property. There will be offered for sale by Public Auction by

JOHN A. LEE

At his Auction Rooms, Columbia Street, Victoria, B. C., on Friday, the 27th day of September, 1903, at 10 o'clock noon the following property:

PERSONAL.

Margaret and Bobb, come home. W. G. G.—

Chamberlain's Remedies.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough. Price 25 cents, large size 50c.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

For Bowel Complaints. Price 35 cents.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

An antiseptic liniment especially valuable for Cuts, Bruises, Sprains and Rheumatism. Price 25 cents, large size 50c.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

For Disorders of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels. Price 25 cents.

Every one of these preparations is guaranteed and if not fully satisfactory to the purchaser money will be refunded.

BRANTFORD TEAM MAY COME WEST

Lacrosse Association Champions Might Be Induced to Play in This City.

ARMY AND NAVY NEWS.

Major Gordon to Have Local Rank of Colonel Temporarily.

London, Aug. 17.—Pending the arrival of Lieutenant-Colonel Grant as a very encouraging account of the progress of the war.

A STORY OF HIS POEM WAS TOLD

When William Wordsworth was a young man he wrote a poem which was a very successful farce.

TENDENCY OF THE TIMES.

The tendency of medical science is toward preventive measures. The most thoughtful of the world is being given to the subject.

Munoz Revolved

Man Charged Murder Plot and Known to His Wife and Wesson Car

Further Evidence

The police to bring to light Harry Munoz's part in the murder of John Wesson.

OUR PACIFIC

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Safe Property

for sale by Public... A. LEE... Columbia Street, C. on Friday the 10th at 12 o'clock property.

Munoz Secured Revolver Saturday

Man Charged With Attempt to Murder Procured Weapon and Ammunition. Known to Have Obtained Smith and Wesson and 38 Calibre Cartridges.

Further evidence has been secured by the police to bring the crime of attempting to kill Harry Noble, of the Bodega saloon, home to Frank Munoz, who is accused by Noble, and who is under arrest charged with attempt to murder.

WRECKAGE ON QUEEN CHARLOTTE'S

Report of Finding of Boat and Other Wreckage on Northern Island.

Steamers Tees and Nell reached port yesterday from the North, bringing a number of passengers from southern Canada.

OUR PACIFIC COAST CITIES.

A correspondent who has spent some days in Vancouver and Victoria last month, is much struck by the fact that says Vancouver is by far the busier and more up to date of the two places.

Stomach and Tablets.

These preparations are not only a purgative but also a stomachic.

TEAM COME WEST

Association Chamber Be Induced to This City.

N.A.V.Y. NEWS.

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POLITICAL MOVEMENTS

The Conservative Party Shows Unity and Strength at All Points.

Last evening at a well attended and thoroughly representative meeting of the Conservative party of the island constituency at Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring Island, Mr. G. H. Peabody, vice-president, presided.

MEMBER DANGEROUSLY ILL.

Janak, Aug. 24.—(Special)—W. C. Caldwell, M. P. P. for North Lanark, is dangerously ill at his home, "The Highlands," Mr. Caldwell, with a party, arrived home Thursday, after a three weeks' tour in New Ontario, and that night was taken seriously ill with congestion of the lungs.

TRAVELLERS AND TOURISTS

Travelling from place to place are subject to all kinds of Bowel Complaint on account of change of water, diet and temperature.

DR. FOWLER'S Wild Strawberry

is a sure cure for Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Cholera, Cramps, Pains in the Stomach, Seasickness, Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Summer Complaint, and all Fluxes of the Bowels in Children and Adults.

Comox Valley Game Slaughter

How Some of the Striking Cumberland Colliers Employed Their Leisure.

Wanton Damage With Intimidation For All Who Dared to Object.

Arrivals in Victoria from the Comox district have some decidedly interesting stories to tell of the strange state of affairs which has for some time past existed in that quarter owing to the conduct of the wandering bands of striking coal miners, who have taken the Comox valley as their special camping ground, and have been carrying things with a rather high hand.

TO BUILD THE PAN-AMERICA LINE

Gigantic Undertaking to Connect Hudson Bay With Argentine.

Guthrie, Oklahoma, Aug. 24.—Plans for a gigantic railroad with a trunk line connecting Hudson Bay with Colombia.

A SUCCESSOR TO CARDINAL VAUGHAN

Bishop of Southwark's Appointment to Westminster Surprises English.

Rome, Aug. 24.—The congregation of the propaganda met this morning, under the direction of Cardinal Gotti, the president of the Propaganda, to discuss the appointment of a successor to the late Cardinal Vaughan.

TWO DROWNED AT GUELPH.

Guelph, Ont., Aug. 24.—Arthur Bradley, of the Trader's National Bank, and Frank Maddock, bookkeeper of the Royal Bank, were drowned in the river Saturday night while going up camp. Their canoe capsized and neither could swim.

WAGNER MONUMENT.

Grave Rouses Why Family Will Not Take Part in Unveiling Ceremonies.

REPORT UNFOUNDED.

Madrid Officials Know Nothing of Plot to Kill Alfonso.

INSURGENTS NEAR CONSTANTINOPLE

Revolutionary Band Appears Within Six Hours of Sultan's Capital.

Sofia, Aug. 25.—A revolutionary band has appeared at the village of Tcherkesk, between Adrianople and Constantinople, within six hours of the Sultan's capital.

IRISH INDEPENDENCE.

President of American League Predicts Home Rule.

NEWS TOO GOOD TO KEEP.

Persons who have used Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are so well pleased with the benefits derived that they tell their friends to use them.

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Turks Commit Horrible Deeds

Foreign Consuls Attest Fearful Mutilation.

Eighty Prisoners Murdered in Cold Blood—Women and Children Butchered.

Sofia, Aug. 24.—With the rumors of massacres and the murder of prisoners in Monastir now authenticated as fact, the situation is considered here as fast becoming intolerable.

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Executive Proposes Government Control of Coal and Oil Lands.

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From the Far Philippines

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Home to America on Sick Leave After a Wonderfully Varied Career.

Scarcely bearing out in his apparently hale and hearty person his own statement that he is home on sick leave from the Philippine Islands, Mr. Martin Egan, formerly news editor of the Victoria Daily News, and later of the Victoria Daily Times, is in town.

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Noted Newspaper Writer in City

Frederic J. Haskin Will Write of Victoria for Syndicate Papers.

Reached This City Yesterday From Alaska Where He Went For Material.

Frederic J. Haskin, a syndicate writer, whose descriptive articles written "en route" are read by over two million people week after week...

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This Looks Like Business

Representatives of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company Here.

Suite of Offices Engaged in the Board of Trade Building.

Yesterday it was learned on excellent authority that a suite of offices had been engaged in the Board of Trade Building for the exclusive use of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company...

Enrolled with this announcement were the names of Messrs. O. Van Arsdol, J. R. Stephens, J. H. Macdonald, and J. H. Macdonald...

A reporter of the Colonist called upon these gentlemen at the hotel where they are staying, when the matter was stated to them...

The gentlemen have been here for a couple of days, and leave for Vancouver tonight, intending to remain for two or three days in the Terminal City before proceeding to Winnipeg...

In spite of the refusal of the two gentlemen to talk about their mission, there is little doubt in the minds of those who have met with them that they are the heralds of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway...

Leading business men in the city who were apprised of the action of the two gentlemen, particularly in the West Indies, are of the opinion that the probability of the coming of such a large corporation as the Grand Trunk Pacific...

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Senators Arrive Here

Sub-Committee Who Has Been Investigating in Alaska Reaches Victoria.

Will Recommend Some Notable Changes in Government of Territory.

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Plotted to Raid Trading Posts

Str. Manauess Who Arrived Yesterday, Brought News of Daring Attempt.

Ex-convict Planned Uprising and Raid--Alarm for Bark Catherina.

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Prospects For Race are Poor

At Midnight Sky Was Cloudy and Only a Three Mile South-west Wind.

Proposal to Have a Four Cornered Race With Old and New Yachts.

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THE SUPREMACY OF BRITISH CIGARETTES... J. T. REID... Metchison, B.C. BREEDER AND IMPORTER... OXFORD DOWN SHEEP...

Victoria College Commencement

Opening Exercises of the Local College Held Yesterday Afternoon.

Governor-General's Medal Won by Miss Johnson—Other Prize Winners.

The commencement exercises at Victoria College were held yesterday afternoon and the Assembly Hall was well filled with students and their parents and friends.

With the Army in Mindanao

General Sumner of U. S. Forces Tells of Fighting There.

He Conducted the Operations Against the Moro Tribesmen.

Gen. Samuel S. Sumner, recently promoted to major-general in the United States army, who arrived in Victoria from Manila on the last Empress steamer, said:

ENGLISH PRIZES.

Composition—\$20 prize by an anonymous donor divided between Miss Johnson, senior class; Ellen Ohlson and Kate Michael, intermediate class; Mabel Cameron, junior class.

MATHEMATICS.

Prize given to A. Huggert for the pupil of the senior, intermediate or junior class making highest marks in mathematics—Peter McGill.

SENIOR CLASS.

Reading—Miss M. Johnson, 90 marks; Grace Atkinson, 77; James Barron Russell, 60.

MASKED MEN HOLD UP DEPOT

Six Robbers Loot a Rock Island Station And Then Escape.

MISSOURI FLOODS.

Valley at Council Bluffs a Huge Lake And Three Feet Deep.

FREE TRADERS SCORE.

London, Aug. 28.—The Liberal gained a victory in the Argentine election where on Wednesday last was held the first parliamentary election since the death of Mr. Balfour.

Government Denounced

Mainland Canners Point Out the Absurdity of Action of Authorities.

Frank Munoz To Stand Trial

Was Committed in the Police Court Yesterday For Attempted Murder.

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EDDY TO THE RESCUE.

President Warns China That "Reform" Editors Must Not Be Punished.

DROWNED DURING SQUALL.

Gibraltar, Aug. 28.—Eleven Spaniards engaged on salvage work on the wreck of the Spanish steamer Torak Bay near Tarifa were drowned today during a sudden squall.

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